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Applicant: Chen et al.

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Non-Volatile Memories

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment" mailed by the United States

Patent and Trademark Office on January 23, 2007, the new paragraph added in the Preliminary

Amendment filed on September 11, 2006 is hereby submitted without underlining as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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